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Attached is a copy of an Examiners Amendment correcting improper dependencies in claim 6.

### EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Walter Karnstein on 09/15/2005.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claim 6: The end effector of claim [5] 1, wherein the aperture includes a notch in the planar body.


Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Johnnie L. Smith II whose telephone number is 571-272-2481. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday 7-4 P.M. and Alternate Fridays.

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